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Applicant : Heather A. Boux *et al.* Art Unit : 1641
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In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed January 25, 2005, enclosed are a completed issue fee transmittal form PTOL-85b, transmittal of 3 sheets of formal drawings, an Amendment After Allowance pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312, and a check for \$1730 for the required issue fee and publication fee, including patent copies.

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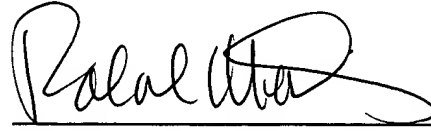
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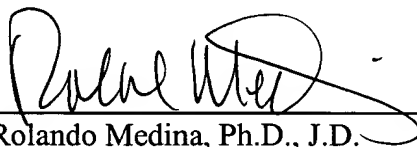
TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

In response to the Notice of Allowability mailed January 25, 2005, please substitute the enclosed 3 sheets of formal drawings for the corresponding drawings presently in the application.

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